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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$144
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**BOX: MISSING PARTS**  
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Re: Patent Application Entitled: "ALLOSTERICALLY REGULATED RIBOZYMES"  
Filing Date: September 14, 2000  
Our File No.: 119927/1021  
Serial No.: 09/661,658

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above-referenced matter, enclosed for filing please find the following:

1. A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. Our firm's check for \$964.00; and
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Respectfully submitted,



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